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ARRANGEMENT**  
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Sir:

This is pursuant to the Official Action dated February 4, 2004, with a delay for reply expiring July 2, 2004.

Please find herein enclosed a set of annotated claims, including original claims 1-17, currently amended claim 18 and new independent claim 19.

You are hereby authorized to debit our deposit account No. 12:110 for the amount of US \$43 for the small entity fee of one (1) independent claim in excess of three (3).

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